

## STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

<b>FARMS</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1992</b>	<b>1987</b>
NUMBER	3,186	3,877	3,511	3,874
ACREAGE	572,036	526,846	423,602	491,150
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	180	136	121	127
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	10	10	N	N
<b>AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)</b>				
LAND & BUILDINGS	1,089,879	749,295	711,639	484,266
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	63,339	62,823	48,123	43,776
<b>CROPLAND (ACRES)</b>				
TOTAL	281,988	279,806	273,322	292,720
HARVESTED	195,372	245,446	226,950	217,994
IRRIGATED	197,650	219,772	191,672	196,544
<b>MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD</b>				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	1,008,273	1,057,307	846,932	726,902
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	316,470	272,713	241,223	187,636
<b>NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM</b>				
AVERAGE (\$)	65,857	88,314	43,205	38,669
<b>LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)</b>				
CATTLE & CALVES	181,071	204,968	196,691	198,680
BEEF COWS	3,670	7,629	4,707	7,599
MILK COWS	90,359	113,719	116,799	112,002
HOGS & PIGS	4,624	2,080	10,472	4,007
SHEEP & LAMBS	45,985	33,155	45,977	31,873
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	5,437,142	9,897,627	9,842,363	13,232,390
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	350	D	59,696	801
<b>COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)</b>				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	349	N	N	N
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	2,606	N	N	N
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
WHEAT	4,936	25,606	31,353	16,070
BARLEY	1,311	2,235	5,468	12,934
OATS	108	N	N	N
RICE	0	0	0	0
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	10,307	12,571	11,940	19,875
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	N	N	N	N
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	N	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	N	N	N	N
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	67,452	90,926	71,271	52,466

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	2002	1997	1992	1987
<b>VEGETABLES FOR SALE</b>				
NUMBER OF FARMS	110	149	115	139
ACREAGE	41,110	38,041	29,828	31,710
<b>ORCHARDS</b>				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	1,718	2,010	2,047
ACREAGE	61,910	68,191	73,496	80,867
<b>PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)</b>				
FARMING	1,665	1,340	1,476	1,467
NON-FARMING	1,521	1,096	1,456	1,795
<b>GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION</b>				
NUMBER OF FARMS	85	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	2.67%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	1,832	1,574	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	21,558	17,488	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

**SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.**